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Docket Number

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

In re Application of  
Wenyuan Shi, et al.Application Number  
09/378,577Filed  
August 20, 1999

For

Method for the Treatment and Prevention of Dental Caries

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110.00
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$
- ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 07-1896
- I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

Respectfully submitted,

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